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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Patent Office communication of December 15, 2008, Applicant requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.